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RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) OFFICE OF PETITIONS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In the Decision On Petition dated February 20, 2001, the Patent Office dismissed the Petition filed on June 5, 2000. The basis for the dismissal was that drawings have never been submitted in the application.

The decision further indicated that the Commissioner may excuse the delay in supplying the copy of drawings and accord the application the requested filing date once drawings are submitted. In accordance with this suggestion, Applicants hereby submit formal drawings and respectfully request the Commissioner to excuse the delay in supplying the copy of drawing and accord the application the requested filing date of April 3, 2000.

In the event that any petition fees are required by this document, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Applicants attorney's Deposit Account 02-4800.

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In the event that there are any questions concerning this Renewed Petition, please contact the undersigned in order to expedite prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,

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